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INVENTION: A METHOD AND BASE STATION FOR CHANNEL  
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Sir:

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Please amend the above-identified International Application before entry  
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§371 as follows:

**In The Specification:**

On page 1, cancel lines 1-4 and substitute the following therefor:

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**--SPECIFICATION**

**TITLE**

**A METHOD AND BASE STATION FOR CHANNEL ALLOCATION IN A**

**RADIO COMMUNICATION SYSTEM**

**BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION**

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**Field of the Invention--.**

On page 1, line 6, insert --present-- before "invention".

On page 1, line 8, cancel "especially" and substitute therefor --particularly--